

INITIAL INCIDENT RESPONSE

PHASE – Initial Response & Assessment

First-in responders have arrived on scene. Initial reports confirm witness statements of a multi-vehicle crash completely blocking all southbound lanes of 395. Responders report 12 separate vehicles involved at or near the primary bus crash site. An initial head count shows 22 individuals injured inside the bus with five who are visibly trapped in the wreckage. Responders cannot immediately locate the other three persons reportedly on-board the bus. Thirteen other individuals in the surrounding vehicles are reporting injuries ranging from minor pain to serious trauma wounds. Rain continues to pour down on the scene and responders report several close-in lightning strikes.

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